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The utmost care is taken to procure authentic information from all the mining districts of British Columbia, and every exertion made to obtain reliable statistics respecting the country generally.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, AUG. 20, 1864.

MINING—ROADMAKING.

Those who feel interested in the permanent prosperity of British Columbia—and who of us does not?—cannot but be gratified with the cry of "Yreka," which reaches us from almost every point of the compass. Hitherto there has been manifested too much of a disposition to concentrate our energies and operations upon one locality. The mines of Cariboo are unquestionably rich, and, what is of equal importance, *permanent*. But we have, during the past three years, seen the ill consequences of confining our attention to that single locality. Its great distance from the seaboard, the expense of reaching it and the large amount of capital essentially necessary in order to open up the mines there, together with the cost of living, all tend to place successful mining in Cariboo practically beyond the reach of the masses; and for want of mines of a character better suited to the larger class of those who have visited our shores we have witnessed the departure of many thousands of disappointed men, who, could they have been retained in the country, would have made good miners and ultimately many of them would doubtless have settled in the Colony. We would not underrate the importance of Cariboo as a gold field; but we cannot close our eyes to the fact that it does not confer the same benefit upon the country which would result from the working of that character of mines commonly known as "poor man's diggings." When gold is taken out in enormous quantities, when claims yield their hundreds of thousands to individual effort, as is the case with Williams Creek, the gold is much more apt to go out of the Colony in bulk than it is when extracted more gradually by the masses. While, therefore, the Government should not neglect to follow up the Cariboo miner with all reasonable facilities, it becomes a paramount duty to encourage the discovery and development of diggings which, although perhaps less attractive, would conduce more to the good of the country and afford remunerative employment to thousands who would fail to gain a foothold in Cariboo. That British Columbia possesses in abundance such diggings is beyond a doubt; and that ground paying six, eight, and even ten, dollars a day was abandoned in favor of Cariboo is well known. And herein we meet with a phase of human nature quite inexplicable. How it is that hundreds of men, with a positive knowledge of the existence of such diggings, will hang around the rich claims of Cariboo until they have exhausted their substance, and then leave the country, is indeed a strange phenomenon. Under these circumstances we take the most lively interest in the spirit of exploration recently excited, as we feel convinced that it is only by opening up more varied and extensive fields that we can hope to employ a large population and contribute to the permanent prosperity of the Colony. Let the whole country be prospected; let the diggings be scattered over the whole face of it, and then the general resources will become known and will be developed in a manner calculated less to benefit a foreign neighbor and more to build up and consolidate this Colony, upon a healthy and enduring basis. It is in view of these considerations that we look with dissatisfaction and alarm upon the expenditure of so enormous a sum as *three hundred thousand dollars* in constructing *fifty-eight* miles of waggon road between the Mouth of Quesnelle and Williams Creek! It is unquestionably most desirable to have good roads in every direction, provided we can afford to construct them without infringing upon other interests. But, at a time when gold is being discovered in every direction, to which roads will become a necessity, can we afford to expend so large a sum upon so small a piece of road? Our own conviction is that we cannot. There is little doubt now about the future of the Kootanais country; and should it at all come up to general expectation the Government will be imperatively called upon to secure to this Colony the benefits arising from the development of these new mines, by speedily constructing a good road from some point on the Lower Fraser. Other discoveries are being made which will also necessitate the construction of roads, a work which will be beyond the power of the Government if such prodigal undertakings as the one alluded to are indulged in.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE!

THREE SUBURBAN LOTS, two of which adjoin the city, and comprise the entire frontage of the north-west side of St. Patrick's Square, affording a delightful southern aspect, and charmingly situated for a residence.

ALSO—A Lot in the original survey of the city. Terms most reasonable.

Apply to WILLIAM CLARKSON,
Land & General Agent.
New Westminster, July 19, 1864. jy20tc

NOTICE.

I HEREBY WARN all persons against purchasing the Steamer "HOPE" either at Sheriff's sale or otherwise, as the ownership of the same is absolutely vested in the Mortgagees, Guy Huston, Peter McQuade & Co., and John A. Mara.

M. W. T DRAKE,
Solicitor for Mortgagees.
New Westminster, June 1, 1864. je4

REAL ESTATE AGENCY!

THE SUBSCRIBER, BEING THE PIONEER OF this city, is well acquainted with every town and suburban Lot, and most of the rural Lots at present surveyed in this District. He has made it a part of his business during the past five years to examine Lots, and has had considerable experience in purchasing and selling Real Estate, and is well posted in regard to the actual value of Land.

Parties who are desirous of purchasing or selling

TOWN, SUBURBAN OR RURAL LANDS

will find it to their advantage to place the same in his hands.

All business in the GENERAL AGENCY line attended to.

Charges Moderate.

WILLIAM CLARKSON,
General Agent and Auctioneer.
New Westminster, May 11, 1864. my14tc

BONSON & RICHARDS,

CARPENTERS, JOINERS

—AND—

CABINET MAKERS

HAMLY STREET, NEAR THE CUSTOM HOUSE,

New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully beg to announce that they are now prepared to execute orders in any branch of the above trades, on the most reasonable terms.

ESTIMATES, PLANS & SPECIFICATIONS made for every description of buildings.

☞ Orders left at the Workshop will receive prompt attention.

de19-1m BONSON & RICHARDS.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL!!

JUST RECEIVED, from San Francisco direct, 500 gals. No. 1 Chicopee Coal Oil, in first rate order, which we will sell to traders at lower prices than it can be laid down here from Victoria.

PICHT & HOYT.

N. B.—We shall always have a stock of the same on hand.

New Westminster, April 1, 1864. ap2tc

PICHT & HOYT,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

Spirits, Wines, Ales and Segars.

BRANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pelevoisin and American in bulk and cases;

RUM—Jamaica and other brands;

WHISKEY—Scotch, Irish, Bourbon and Monongahela in bulk and cases;

GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;

OLD TOM—Different brands;

WINES—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands;

CHAMPAGNE, PORTER & ALES—Different brands;

SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;

HAVANNA SEGARS—Different brands.

PICHT & HOYT,

New Westminster, B. C.,

BREWERS & MALTSTERS,

AND DEALERS IN

Brewer Stock;

DISTILLERS,

AND DEALERS IN

DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,

40° over proof, superior to any;

—ALSO,—

REFINED ALCOHOL

in Tins, 95 per cent. ap2te

New Advertisements.

EXPRESS.

DIETZ & NELSON'S

British Columbia & Victoria Express,

CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH

Wells Fargo & Co.,

FOR

CALIFORNIA, OREGON, ATLANTIC STATES & EUROPE;

AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH

BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS,

FOR

Cariboo and the Northern Mines,

CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages and Parcels;

PURCHASING of Drafts and Bills of Exchange from Wells Fargo & Co., and other Banking Houses;

COLLECTING Drafts, Notes of Hand, Debts, &c.

EXECUTING Commissions, Orders, Enquiries;

FORWARDING of Merchandise, Packages, Parcels, &c;

ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver and other Ores;

PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;

LANDING WARRANTS Prepared and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.

New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma14tc

THE

LARGEST, FINEST

—AND—

CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT

—OF—

WATCHES,

JEWELRY,

—AND—

SILVER-WARE,

—AT—

JUNGERMAN'S,

mh23 YATES ST., VICTORIA, V. I. 6m

LOCHLOMOND HOUSE!

AT THE

Seventy-four-mile Post

ON THE

Lillooet-Alexander Road.

THE PROPRIETOR calls the attention of travellers to Cariboo to this House, which is just opened for the travelling public, where GOOD MEALS can be had at all hours, with all the delicacies of the season.

THE BAR

will contain CIVILITY, and the best

LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

This is the first house within 15 miles where good water can be obtained, and, being 27 miles above the Junction, affords a comfortable and convenient stopping place.

Packers, Stagers and Teamsters are informed that they will find good stabling and the best of provender, as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.

The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of those who may patronize the Lochlomond House.

JOHN McMURPHY.
Lochlomond, British Columbia, March, 1863. tc.

THE ORIGINAL PIONEER GOVERNMENT BAKERY

Lytton Square, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken over the above business from Mr. P. Hick, hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of public patronage.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

W. HARVEY.
New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc*

New Advertisements.

COLONIAL HOTEL,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

Messrs. Grelley Brothers

Have added to their comfortable

Hotel and Restaurant,

A SPLENDID

Billiard Saloon,

In which will always be found the best

DRINKS AND CIGARS.

In connection with the above they have opened a Store stocked with the choicest Brands of

WINES, LIQUORS,
ALES, PORTER,
BRANDIES, RUM,
CIDER, SYRUPS,
CORDIALS, BITTERS, &c.,

which they will sell by the bottle, gallon, or in case

—ALSO—

THE BEST BRANDS OF

CIGARS,

Havanna, Manilla and Cheroots.

New Westminster, July 18, 1862. jy19

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice

—OF—

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the Court, acting in the prosecution of a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of April, 1864, against JACOB ROSE and N. T. PETERSEN of Lillooet, in the Colony of British Columbia, Dealers and Chapmen, did, on the 9th day of July, inst., allow the said Jacob Rose a certificate of the second class, and that such certificate will be delivered to the said Bankrupt on the 1st day of September next, at Richfield, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

Richfield, 13th July, 1864. jy23w1m

CITY BAKERY

—AND—

COFFEE SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the

Corner of Columbia and Hall Streets,

where he hopes to receive from a generous and discriminating public an extended patronage, commensurate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Pies and Cakes,

supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

JOSEPH SOREL.
New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

THE

COLONIAL HOTEL

—AND—

RESTAURANT.

FRONT STREET,

FORT YALE, B. C.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT, having been newly fitted up at a great expense, is ready for the reception of the public.

The BAR will contain the choicest LIQUORS, while the TABLE will be constantly supplied with the substantials as well as the delicacies of the season.

N B.—Good, clean Sleeping Apartments connected with the Hotel.

L. DAVISON,
Manager.
Fort Yale, B.C., March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

JOHN MURRAY

BEGS LEAVE to call the attention of his friends and the public to the

CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK

—OF—

FAMILY GROCERIES

which he ha just opened, and which he is prepared to to sell at the

Lowest Possible Prices,

FOR CASH.

JOHN MURRAY,
oc17-tc Columbia Street, New Westminster.

Victoria Advertisements.

THE

Royal Insurance Company.

—FOR—

Fire & Life Insurance.

CAPITAL - - - - - Ten Million Dollars!

HEAD OFFICES,—Liverpool and London.

CHAIRMAN,
Charles Turner, Esq., M. P.

DEPUTY CHAIRMEN,
Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.

MANAGER AND ACTUARY,
PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the UNDERsigned their Agents for

Vancouver Island & British Columbia,

and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the

Fire and Life Departments.

They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

James Dickson, Esq., M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
Wharf Street.
Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24

BALMORAL SEED STORE

—AND—

Nursery Depot,

FORT STREET.

MY STOCK OF SEEDS, TREES, PLANTS, &c., being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants are invited to call and examine for themselves. Country and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest wholesale rates.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed Agent for some of the Largest Importers and Best Manufacturers of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES in San Francisco, is prepared to supply all sorts of Agricultural Implements and Machines at a small advance on San Francisco prices. Parties wanting Patent Hay Presses, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Fanning Mills, Ploughs, Harrows, Scythes or any other Implement or Machine will do well to send their orders. Parties ordering will require to remit with the order about one-fifth of the value of the machine to pay Freight.

J. BEGG,
ap18 tc *Balmoral Nursery Depot, Fort St., Victoria.*

W. J. ARMSTRONG,

COLUMBIA STREET,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,

IMPORTER,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

CROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, CLASSWARE, AND

Oilman's Stores,

Would call the particular attention of Up-river Merchants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and ascertain the prices before purchasing elswhere.

N. B.—**Fresh Garden Seeds** Just received and for sale.

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

BONDED WAREHOUSE.

HENRY HOLBROOK,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

LIVERPOOL WHARF,

NEW WESTMINSTER.

BONDED AND FREE STORAGE for 600 tons Goods Every accommodation given to Goods landed on the Liverpool Wharf, for shipment up river.

A large assortment of Goods for sale at Victoria prices, with the duty added

NOTICE.

AFTER THIS DATE, URIAH NELSON & CO. ARE not responsible for damage on Oils or Liquids shipped in Tin.

URIAH NELSON & CO.
Port Douglas, May 2, 1864. my4 tc

ANDERSON & Co.,

HAVE NOW IN STOCK and will keep continuously Bynas Porter and Ale, Martell and other Brandies, Scotch Whiskey, Rum, &c.

oc31 WHARF ST., VICTORIA.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

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☞ Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia-street.

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Transient Advertisements, 2 inches and under, $2 first insertion, and one dollar each subsequent insertion. Over two inches, $1 per inch for first insertion, and half a dollar for each subsequent insertion. Special contracts with regular advertisers.

Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication.

All Advertisements for insertion in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance.

All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Bank of British Columbia—D. M. Lang.
Retiring from Business—J. A. Webster.
Dissolved—Cohen, Chancellier & David.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, AUG. 20, 1864.

When urged by a unanimous vote of the House during the late session to levy an export tax upon gold the late Governor not only refused compliance but peremptorily declared that such a measure should never become law during his administration. Happily for the country his administration did not long survive that unstatesmanlike declaration; and now that that obstacle is removed the people will naturally expect that a measure so long and urgently demanded by the country will be no longer withheld. The measure given in lieu of an export tax, and which was to have proved so productive of revenue, viz., the charge of one per cent. upon the transfer of claims, has turned out, as we predicted, a complete failure, and is viewed by the mining classes with great disfavor. They say, and rightly too, that unrealized labor is too heavily taxed already, and that the act of imposing a tax of one per cent. upon the market value of claims is most oppressive and unjust. On the other hand an export tax upon gold is not only the most just and equitable tax of which it is possible to concieve, in the present circumstances of this Colony, but it is one which would be of all others the least obnoxious to the miners. A good deal has been said about the difficulty and expense of collecting such a tax; and it is worthy of remark that almost all the objections we have heard advanced against the measure have emanated from Victoria. We have always maintained that the tax under consideration would not be more difficult and expensive of collection than any other tax, and that what difficulty there was in the way would gradually disappear as the stream of gold flowed through established channels. Now, what is the fact? We find that even this year a very large proportion of the product of our mines passes through Banking and other commercial channels, and that the proportion coming down on the person of the producer or miner is infinitesimal indeed. Now, it needs no argument on our part to show that a tax upon gold passing through such channels would be most easy and inexpensive of collection, in fact more so than any other tax we have in force. When we consider the paucity of our population and the large revenue which it is necessary to raise, when we reflect upon the extraordinary demands which will be made upon that revenue this year, we confess that we view with an envious feeling the large amounts of gold constantly passing out of the country, knowing, as we do, that much of it has not paid anything like an adequate toll. We hope that next session will witness the abrogation of the one per cent. transfer tax, the tonnage dues and, perhaps, one or two other obnoxious taxes, and a material reduction in the rate of duty upon certain articles of import, the admission of others duty free, and the establishment in their stead of an export tax upon all raw gold leaving the Colony. The true policy is undoubtedly to transfer as much of the burden as possible from unrealized to realized labor. At present it is only the former that contributes towards the revenue.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

RETIRING FROM BUSINESS.

ALL PARTIES indebted to J. A. WEBSTER are requested to settle their accounts on or before the 1st September; and all parties having claims against him are requested to present the same for settlement.

New Westminster, August 19, 1864. au20td

Dissolution of Copartnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between H. M. Cohen, J. B. Chancellier and E. David has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due by the late firm will be paid by J. B. Chancellier and E. David, at the Brewery, Barkerville, who shall also receive all debts due to the late firm.

H. M. COHEN.
J. B. CHANCELLIER.
EDWARD DAVID.

Richfield, July 1, 1864. au20 1m

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, carrying on business under the name of SIMPSON & DANIELSON, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and from this date the business will be carried on by CHARLES DANIELSON who will collect all debts due to, and pay all liabilities of, the late firm of Simpson & Danielson. As witness our hands this 15th day of July, 1864

Witness, G. W. SIMPSON.
HENRY SAUNDERS. CHARLES DANIELSON.
Quesnelle Mouth, July 15, 1864. jy27 1m

New Advertisements.

THE BANK
— OF —
BRITISH COLUMBIA

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

CAPITAL, - - - $1,250,000,

IN 12,500 SHARES OF $100 EACH,

WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

BRANCHES AND AGENTS:

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NEW WESTMINSTER—Bank of British Columbia.
QUESNELLE MOUTH—Ditto.
CAMERONTON, CARIBOO—Ditto.

IN VANCOUVER ISLAND.

VICTORIA—Bank of British Columbia.
NANAIMO—Ditto.

IN THE UNITED STATES.

SAN FRANCISCO—Bank of British Columbia.
PORTLAND (Oregon)—Messrs. Ladd & Tilton.
NEW YORK—Messrs. Maitland, Phelps & Co.

IN CANADA.

MONTREAL—Messrs. Gillespie, Moffatt & Co.

IN ENGLAND.

National Provincial Bank of England.
North and South Wales Bank, Liverpool.

IN SCOTLAND.

British Linen Company Bank.

IN IRELAND.

Union Bank of Ireland.

LONDON OFFICE—80 Lombard Street.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars.

DEPOSIT RECEIPTS, bearing interest, issued for money lodged for fixed periods.

BILLS DISCOUNTED and COLLECTED; and BILLS of EXCHANGE on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York purchased.

DRAFTS issued on all the Branches and Agencies; and CREDITS granted on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for goods shipped to the Colonies.

GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody; Interest and Dividends Collected; Duties paid on goods in bond.

GOLD DUST & BARS PURCHASED,

Received on Deposit, or advances made upon them.

D. M. LANG, Acting Manager.
New Westminster, August, 1864. au20tc

LONDON HOUSE,

JULY 21, 1864.

We have now ready our Large Stock of DRAPERY GOODS received by the "Royal Charlie;" they are all in perfect order, and in consequence of their late arrival will be Sold at very Low Prices for Cash.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

J. H. TURNER & Co.,
au17 6, FORT STREET.

DOUGLAS-LILLOOET ROUTE.

PEMBERTON HOUSE, PORT PEMBERTON!

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED HOUSE is now kept by the undersigned, who guarantees that its past reputation as a FIRST CLASS HOTEL shall be well maintained by him; and he is desirous of securing to the public that amount of comfort and accommodation for both ladies and gentlemen that the traveller both desires and expects. He will further guarantee that no one shall leave his house without getting "value received" for his money, and that in the shape of a good meal, good lodging, and attention to his wants at a fair remuneration.

There are also private rooms for families, and for those who desire them. There is a Bar attached to the House, with good Liquors, Cigars, etc., etc., and a Bagatelle table for their use and diversion.

The undersigned hopes for a fair share of patronage, and that the merits of this route, in the accommodation, ease and quickness of travel which it affords, will be appreciated by the travelling public.

au13tc WILLIAM SMITH.

Grouse Creek Flume Co., Limited.

NOTICE OF CALL.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of the above Company, held this day, a third Call of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents per share was levied, payable to the Secretary on or before the 15th instant.

J. P. CRANFORD, Secretary.
Victoria, V. I., August 6th, 1864. au13 1m

New Advertisements.

Statement showing the amount of Work performed in the City of New Westminster, together with the Expenses of the Municipal Council for the year ending 5th August, 1864:—

STREET CONTRACTS.

Mary Street:—			
W. T. Shannon, Grading,	$1,475 00,		
S. W. Handy, Grading,	250 00,		
A. Hendry, Frames for Culverts,	2 00,		$1727 00
Ellice Street:—Hesselwood & Co.,	Grading		650 00
Blackwood Street:—A. Johnston,	do.		650 00
Royal Avenue:—			
A. McGregor, Clearing,	$48 00,		
H. Elliot, Grading,	760 00,		
H. Welch, Repairing,	6 00,		
J. C. Hall, do	4 00,		818 00
Douglas Street:—			
J. Savoy, Repairing,	$25 00,		
D. McPherson, do	10 00,		35 00
Douglas, St. John & Mary Streets:—			
E. A. Sharp, Chopping,			119 35
St. Patrick's Square:—			
E. A. Sharp, Chopping,			126 00
Eastern Reserve:—			
W. Holmes, Chopping,			151 50
St. George's Square:—			
D. Kelso, Chopping,			149 50
Melbourne & Montreal Streets:—			
F. Walker, Chopping,			102 60
St. Patrick's Street:—			
Henry Thorne, Clearing,			30 00
Columbia Street:—			
A. White, Repairing bridge,	$2 00,		
H. Sutherland, do	50,		
D. McPherson, Repairing,	12 50,		
John Vine, Clearing drain,	7 50,		
H. Sutherland, Repairing bridge,	75,		
J. Bradley, Clearing drain,	3 00,		
D. Owsley, Opening culverts,	2 00,		
H. Sutherland, Repairing bridge,	75,		
E. A. Sharp, Repairs,	18 00,		
Woodcock & Hand, Work for culv't	9 50,		
H. Elliot, Work on Col. & Mary sts.	36 25,		
		92 75	
Building water Tank, E. A. Sharp,		240 00	
Chopping Lot 58, Block V, R. Holland,		27 00	
		$4918 70	

SIDEWALKS CONSTRUCTED BY SPECIAL TAX.

Mary Street:—		
H. Sutherland,	$695 00	
Columbia Street, North-East:—		
S. W. Handy,	1225 00	
Columbia Street, South-East:—		
S. W. Handy,	643 50	
	$7482 20	

PRIVATE LOTS CHOPPED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, AND PAID FOR BY SPECIAL TAX.

Eighteen Lots,		362 58

CHOPPING & CLEARING STREETS, PAID IN SCRIP.

Clinton, Montreal & Pelham Streets:—		
4 9-10 acres at $75, W. Holmes,	$367 50,	
Hospital Lots 8, 38, 37, B. VI; 9, 35, 36, B. VI, James Emsley,	258 00,	
Montreal Street:—		
4-2-5 a. at $25, Geo. Simpson,	110 00,	
Halifax Street:—		
3 a. at $26, do	78 00,	
St. Andrews Square:—Lots 30, 31, 32, B. V; Lots 14, 29, 30, B. VI, 17¾ a. $24, Geo. Simpson,	426 00,	
St. Andrews Street:—		
3 a. at $26, S. M. Richards,	78 00,	
Fortescue St., 3 a. at $27, do	81 00,	
Edinburgh St., 3 a. at $23, do	69 00,	
London St., 4½ a. at $22, do	99 00,	
Pelham St. 4½ a. at $20 F. Walker,	90 00,	
Melbourne St. 4 2-5a. at $35, Sharp,	154 00,	
St. George & Clinton Streets:—		
6¼ a. at $24, P. Jackman,	145 20,	
St. Patrick & Pelham Streets:—		
4½ a. at $95, W. Tinline,	389 50,	
Pelham & Mary Streets:—		
2 4-5 a. at $130, R. Holland,	364 00,	
Clement & Pelham Streets:—		
5 a. at $95, J. Mackie & Co.,	471 00,	
		$3180 20
Constructing plank road on Richard, and Edinburgh Streets and Queen's Avenue: S. P. Moody & Co.,		12901 00
Constructing plank road on Front Street:— J. T. Scott,		5895 00
Fire Department,		485 00
Council Expenses:—		
Rent of Hall 11 months,	$235 00,	
Printing, COLUMBIAN, *Colonist & Chronicle* offices,	245 79,	
Salary, V. Hall, 8 months,	646 66,	
do J. Maclure, 6 do	177 51,	
SUNDRY EXPENSES.		
H. D. Conn, Ringing bell,	7 50,	
W. J. Armstrong, Candles,	10 50,	
J. C. White, Plan for bridge,	25 00,	
Clarkson & Co., Stationery,	30 50,	
G. R. Ashwell, Chairs,	16 00,	
Cunningham Bros., Stove pipes,	23 14,	
H. D. Conn, Firewood,	12 25,	
J. Macnamara, do	12 00,	
Removing nuisance,	50,	
Gaskirk, Assisting Surveyor,	1 94,	
Valentine Hall, Furniture,	38 50,	
Interest on Debentures,	98 50,	
		$1581 20
Balance due Treasurer 5th August, 1863,		77 92
Fire Department,		242 50
		$32,207 60

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By Amount of Taxes as per assessment roll,	$7117 47
" Loan from Bank of British Columbia,	1000 00
" Assessment on sidewalks,	197 20
" Government grant of Land Scrip (£300),	1440 00
" Gov't contract with Coun. in Land-scrip,	1731 00
" Assessment for chopping private lots,	365 58
" Debentures sold,	13386 00
" Garantee from water frontages,	5895 00
	$32,906 25

LIABILITIES.

Loan from Bank of B. C.,	$1000 00,	
Interest on do	60 00,	
Hesselwood & Co, Ellice st. cont.,	150 00,	
Clarkson & Co., Stationery,	39 87,	
J. A. R. Homer, Lumber,	63 00,	
Cunningham Bros., Hardware,	3 49,	
W. J. Armstrong, Candles,	12 00,	
C. J. Millard, Rent,	25 00,	
H. Welch, Repairing bridge,	6 00,	
John Murray, Candles, &c.,	5 87,	
R. Holland, Chopping Council lot,	27 00,	
Balance due City Surveyor,	30 00,	
J. Robson, Printing,	68 30,	
S. T. Tilley, Expenses in moving,	4 50,	
Clerk's Salary to 1st August.	323 33,	
H. Thorne, Chopping lot 9, block V,	20 00,	
do Clearing St Patrick st.	30 00,	
J. T. Scott, Rent,	25 00,	
Geo. Ramsay, Auditing accounts,	20 00,	
Geo. Hooper, Collecting,	89 00,	
		$2002 36

ASSETS.

In hands of Clerk,	$34 98,	
do V. Hall,	73 80,	
do Geo. Hooper,	326 00,	
do Treasurer,	226 51,	
Unpaid Taxes,	53 36,	
Commission charged by G. Hooper,	89 00,	$803 65
		$1,199 71
		1054 08
As per Auditor's account,		$145 63

Since Auditor's account the following have been incurred:—

Interest,	$60 00,	
Thorne, Chopping,	20 00,	
Patrick Street,	30 00,	$110 00
		$35 63

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
JOHN MURRAY.
A. H. MANSON. } Committee.

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

GENERAL ABSTRACT, showing the average amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, within the Colonies of British Columbia and Vancouver Island, taken from the several Weekly Statements, for the Quarter ending 30th JUNE, 1864.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	60,061 00	Coined Gold and Silver	130,336 98
Balances due to other Banks & Branches	646,408 50	Bullion	49,019 22
Deposits not bearing interest	84,376 00		179,356-20
Do. bearing interest	62,834 38	Landed and other property	24,837 18
	147,210 38	Government Securities	46,339 59
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	126,555 23
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	488,432 75
Total amount of Liabilities	$853,680 48	Total amount of Assets	$865,421 00
Amount of Subscribed Capital	$1,250,000 00		
Amount paid up at last advice	625,000 00		

We certify that the above is a correct statement of the Average Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, taken from the Weekly Statements, for the Quarter ending that date.

JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
D. M. LANG, Accountant. jy30-6m

Victoria, V. I., 30th June, 1864.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
New Westminster, June 2nd, 1864.

IN PURSUANCE OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS OF the Legislative Council, passed during the late session, the Governor has authorized the following Premiums to be offered with the view of developing the resources of, and stimulating industry throughout, the Colony:—

1. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked by machinery a VEIN OF QUARTZ producing either Gold or Silver, within the Colony of British Columbia.

2. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall be the first to show to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have successfully worked any COAL MINE within the Colony of British Columbia, and have *bona fide* produced from such mine Two Hundred (200) tons of good Coal, and have shipped the same to any Port beyond the limits of the Colony.

3. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to be paid to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to complete in a *bona fide* manner the building of a VESSEL, within the Colony of British Columbia, of not less than Five Hundred (500) tons burthen.

4. A Premium of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS (£500) to any person or persons who shall prove to the satisfaction of the Government that he or they have been the first to find any new ALLUVIAL MINING DISTRICT sufficiently extensive to give remunerative labor to Five Hundred (500) men for a period of not less than Six (6) months.

The Governor in Council to be the sole judge as to whether any of the above Premiums are to be awarded.

By His Excellency's command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH.
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PROCLAMATION.

BUTE INLET MASSACRE!

A REWARD OF $250

WILL BE PAID BY GOVERNMENT, UPON AND for the apprehension and conviction of every Indian or other person concerned as principal or accessory before the fact, to the murder of any of the fourteen Europeans, who were cut off by Indians, on or about the twenty-ninth and thirtieth days of April, now last past, in the Valley of the Homathco River, at Bute Inlet.

Dated Government House, New Westminster, 17th May, 1864.

By His Excellency's Command,
ARTHUR N. BIRCH,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN! m21

New Boot and Shoe Shop

MARY-STREET, OPPOSITE THE TREASURY,

☞ Boots and Shoes made and repaired.

W. WOODMAN
New Westminster Feb. 1861. fy12-1m

New Advertisements.

EXPRESS, FREIGHT
— AND —
PASSENGER LINE
STAGES.

AFTER THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1864, THE Coaches of this Line will run as follows:

UP TRIP:

Leave Yale on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 3 a.m., Passing over the SUSPENSION BRIDGE and through the CANONS by daylight, and reaching SODA CREEK in time to connect with the stern-wheel steamer "ENTERPRISE," on THURSDAYS and MONDAYS at daylight, reaching Quesnelle City the same day.

DOWN TRIP:

Leaves SODA CREEK on the arrival of the "ENTERPRISE," on TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS, reaching YALE on THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS in time to connect with the steamers for NEW WESTMINSTER.

Passengers going *via* DOUGLAS and LILLOOET can take DIETZ & NELSON'S Express Wagons over the Portages, and connect with BARNARD'S Express Wagon at LILLOOET, on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS, noon, for CLINTON, where seats are reserved for THROUGH passages on the Stages for SODA CREEK.

Passengers from above can obtain Through tickets at Soda Creek for Lillooet and Douglas.

F. J. BARNARD.
Yale, April 30, 1864. my28 tc

Bank of British North America.

ASSAY OFFICE, VICTORIA.

GOLD DUST MELTED & ASSAYED.

CHARGES:

For all deposits under 50 ounces $2
For all " above 50 " One quarter of one per cent.

Ores of every description carefully Assayed.

CHARGES:

For each Mineral Assay $10

GOLD DUST AND BARS PURCHASED at the current rates.

J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager.
Victoria, May 7, 1864. my18tc

THE
BRITISH COLUMBIA
MILL COMPANY,
[LIMITED.]
New Westminster,

WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the Public that they are now prepared to furnish all descriptions of

FIR, CEDAR AND SPRUCE
LUMBER,
BOTH ROUGH & DRESSED.
ALSO,
Tongued and Grooved Flooring,
IN ANY QUANTITIES.

From the superior character of the Mill just now completed, and from the facilities which they possess for shipping Lumber—there being sufficient depth of water at the Mill to float vessels of the largest size—they flatter themselves that they will be able to afford as great inducements to Lumber Dealers, and others, as any Mill on the Pacific Coast.

Bills of Lumber, of any dimensions, cut on the shortest notice.

Orders from Shippers or from the Interior are solicited, and will receive prompt and careful attention.

OFFICE—At J. A. Webster's Store, Columbia St.

J. A. WEBSTER & CO.
New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

BROKENBROW & EVANS,
BUTCHERS,
NEW WESTMINSTER MARKET,
COLUMBIA STREET,
CELEBRATED SAUSAGE MAKERS,
Dealers in all kinds of Salt Meats,

GENUINE YORKSHIRE HAMS, CELEBRATED WESTPHALIA HAMS, ST. CLARE'S BELFAST HAMS, VICTORIA (V. I.) SUGAR CURED HAMS, PUGET SOUND HAMS, OREGON HAMS, CALIFORNIA HAMS, HEYWOOD'S SUGAR CURED BREAKFAST BACON. SMOKED AND PICKLED TONGUES, PURE LEAF LARD, ETC., CUMBERLAND HAMS AND BACON.

ap23 tc

New Music.

A SELECT ASSORTMENT OF

SHEET MUSIC

Received by the last Steamer,

ap27tc at CLARKSON & CO.'S.

NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS having any claim on the estate of WILLIAM GILLETT are requested to send in their accounts to Mr. Geo. Hooper, whose receipt will be valid for all debts due to the same.

R. HARVEY, } Attorneys for
T. WILSON, } the Creditors.
New Westminster, March 1, 1864. mh2-tc

Important to Business Men in Victoria, California, Portland, and Places on the Sound!

THE JOURNAL is the only newspaper published in British Columbia; read by every business man from New Westminster to the Rocky Mountains, and is unrivalled as an advertising medium for the Colony. J. DORAN, in Victoria, and THOS. BOYCE, in San Francisco, are our authorized Agents.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, AUG. 20, 1864.

An Adventurous Expedition.

On Wednesday we noticed the departure of the first exploring expedition under the auspices of the "New Westminster Exploring Association." Thursday morning witnessed the departure of the second, which was composed of Mr. John Hall and Old Shnatt, with the head waters of the Squamish River for their destination. Although in point of numbers this expedition is comparatively insignificant, yet there is much of adventure in it. During the past four years stories have reached us of the existence of rich quartz and placer diggings on the Squamish River, and gold has been seen in the possession of Squamish Indians, said to have been obtained by them there. More recently Mr. John Hall, who possesses an extensive acquaintance with the Indians, learned through a Squamish chief of the name of Bok, who is connected by marriage with the Chilicooten tribe, within whose dominions these mineral deposits are alleged to exist, that he knew where there is plenty quartz rock with "*hiyou chickamen*" (plenty of money) in it, promising that if Mr. Hall would go alone, or with one friend, he would conduct him to the spot. Old Shnatt is well known here and is intimately acquainted with Bok. There is no denying the fact that there is more or less danger connected with this expedition into an unknown region, amongst savages, who, it is believed, are opposed to the incursion of the whites; and in undertaking it Mr. Hall has displayed a great amount of intrepidity. The trip will probably occupy between two and three weeks, so that we may reasonably expect to hear the result in about twenty days from Thursday last. While making allowance for very much romance connected with these Indian gold stories continually reaching us yet there are circumstances connected with this case which would lead us to attach considerable importance to it. And even if no gold should be discovered, the information which we shall obtain respecting the country and the Indians who inhabit it will be ample remuneration for the trifling expense incurred by the association.

Return of the Governor.

It is with more than ordinary satisfaction that we announce the safe return of His Excellency Governor Seymour, after an absence of nine weeks. His Excellency arrived at Government House shortly after 4 o'clock, p. m., yesterday, accompanied by Lieut. Cooper, R. N., and Mr. Evans. His Excellency has, during his absence, passed through a remote and rough country, peopled by Indians, a number of whom are outlaws at the present time; he has penetrated into the far interior, visited our most distant gold-fields and become personally acquainted with the most important communities in the Colony; and we feel assured our readers throughout the country will be rejoiced to hear of his safe return in the enjoyment of health.

Important Mining Movement.

A meeting of the "Hills Bar and Saw Mill Flat Mining Company" was held at Yale on Thursday last, the 18th instant, which was fully attended. The company, after hearing the reports of the Committee of Management and the Committee of Location, instantly decided on organizing under the Joint Stock Company's Act, with a capital of $30,000, in 3000 shares of $10 each; and also to levy an assessment not to exceed 10 per cent. of the nominal capital for the purpose of prospecting their ground. We understand that this company have obtained a grant of ten miles in length along the river bank, extending back to the mountains in the rear, of some of the best ground on the Fraser River. The members are sanguine of giving employment to a large number of men this winter, and of obtaining a good dividend in a reasonable time. They intend to put a party of men on this week to prospect, and to survey for the best method of bringing water on to their ground.

A BASE SLANDER.—We had occasion a few days ago to administer a rebuke to a Victoria paper for the wholesale appropriation of original matter from our columns, without giving the slightest indication of the source from which the information was derived. The prickings of a guilty conscience caused the *Colonist* to indulge in one of those pieces of contemptible disingenuousness for which that paper was so famous in former times, but from which it has recently been comparatively free, charging us with habitually using its express news from Oregon without giving the usual credit. We need hardly state that this is a wilful and malicious slander. On the arrival of an Eastern mail, having access to the same sources of information as our island contemporaries possess, we are in no way indebted to them; and when we receive eastern news, via Oregon, through the medium of Victoria papers, we always give due credit, either generally or to a particular paper, as the case may be. On this point we have been punctilious during the time we have conducted this journal; and although, like our contemporary, we "cater for our own subscribers," and sustain no real loss from the pilfering process alluded to, yet we cannot view with silent indifference a practise so demoralizing to the perpetrator, and disreputable to the profession.

Later from Cariboo.

Dates to the 11th inst.

The weather on Williams Creek continues dry and pleasant, too dry if anything for mining. Markets are depressed: flour, 34c. to 36c.; beans, 50c. to 55c; beef, 30c. to 35c.; mutton, 37½c.; rice, 40. to 45c.; butter, $1 50; sugar, 55. to 60c.; tea, $2; candles, $1; tobacco, $2 50 to $3; milk, $2; syrup, $6 per gallon; barley, 40c.; hay, 20. to 25c.; gum-boots, $12; cowhide do., $8 to $10; picks, $5.; shovels, $6; wages, $8 to $10

There is very little sickness on the creek. Jumping is scarcely known The hospital is about to be placed under Government control. All the claims on the meadows with the exception of three or four have been abandoned on account of the impossibility of contending against the water. Traders complain bitterly of the dull times. The bed rock-flume is progressing—600 feet laid on Williams and 400 on Antler. Several of the claims which had been waiting for the bed-rock drain have commenced work. From the other creeks there is not much news, good or bad, if we except the discovery of quartz on Chisholm Creek by Woodside & Co. The Horsefly Mining Company are at work in their claim on Horsefly Creek and are getting good prospects. We regret to say that the rumoured discovery of rich placer diggings a short distance from Williams Creek, which caused so much excitement, and took nearly 700 men out in search, is believed to be a "sell."

Messrs. Wright & Co have about 100 white men and 200 chinamen at work on the road. The crops are doing very well on the line of travel.

The News from the East.

The steamer *Enterprise* arrived last night bringing files of Victoria papers from which we compile the following brief summary of war news, being four days later:—The report that 30,000 troops had been withdrawn from the Army of the Potomac to repel the invasion at Harper's Ferry is confirmed. Grant's campaign is now asserted to be the most unsuccessful of the whole war, but Grant appears still confident of success. Averill's victory in Shenandoah Valley is confirmed. The news from Mobile is more important, and is disastrous to the Confederate cause in that quarter. On the 5th Fort Powell was evacuated and blown up. On the 9th Col. Anderson shamefully and treacherously surrendered Fort Gains. The works were impregnable, garrisoned by 600 men, and provisioned for 6 months. Anderson's conduct is denounced as most shameful. There are no operations of consequence to report before Atlanta. A terrific fight took place in front of Petersburg on the afternoon of the 5th, in which the Federal forces met with a disastrous reverse. Gens. Meade and Burnside each cast the blame on the other for the repulse. Grant reports the explosion of an ordinance boat at City Point. It is believed that Lee has sent Longstreet's corps to Hood's assistance. A Cabinet meeting was to be held on the 9th to consider important questions of State policy. The Provost Marshal of Buffalo was led to believe that the rebels in Canada had organized a conspiracy to burn that city and destroy the locks at Lockport. The matter was laid before Gen. Dix, who said he was aware of the existence of such a plot but was unable to provide any means to defeat it. Dix advised that measures be taken by the citizens to defend themselves.—Hooker has gone to New York, and has declined a proposition to recruit a new corps to be commanded by himself. Gold at New York on the 10th was 250.

EUROPEAN DATES by the *Hibernian* are to the 28th ult. It is reported that nine months' armistice has been agreed upon at Vienna.

VICTORIA ITEMS.—From Victoria papers brought up last night by the *Enterprise* we glean the following:—Two new towns have been laid out, the one at Sooke to be called "Kennedy," out of compliment to the Governor. Colonel Foster has been appointed Magistrate, *vice* Hughes, deceased—Henry Rhodes, Esq., has been appointed a member of the Legislative Council.—The contract for constructing a road from Victoria to Sooke has been awarded to Malcolm Munro, Esq.—Diggings are reported on Jordan River, about halfway between Sooke and Port San Juan, where a $7 nugget and a $2 nugget were obtained.—The str. *Eliza Anderson* is still detained by the American authorities.—The Sooke mines are said to be doing well, one rocker making $45 a day.—The Cowichan diggings are said to be paying from $3 to $5 a day to the hand.—The *Chronicle* is out in a leader on union, in which it says the people of British Columbia don't want a union with them and would not be forced into any closer connection, and adds that the people of Vancouver Island don't want it now they have Sooke. We are delighted to hear it.—The Legislature is to meet to-day, and it is understood the Governor has received dispatches from the Colonial Office of an important nature, which will doubtless be submitted early. Mr. Waddington has received a letter from Bute Inlet, in which it is stated that the Chilicooten Indians are fishing on the Homathco and Memia rivers. Mr. W. thinks, as that is their only fishing ground, this should be prevented.

THE PIC-NIC.—The annual pic-nic of the Wesleyan Sabbath School was held on the beautiful meadow opposite this city on Wednesday. The committee of management having liberally extended invitations beyond the limits of the school, and even beyond the congregation with which it is connected, there were a considerable number of ladies and gentlemen present. The provisions for the inner man were varied, abundant and excellent, and certainly ample justice was done them by both children and adults. After all had partaken of refreshments and somewhat exhausted themselves with romp and play devotional exercises were engaged in and addresses were delivered, after which all, great and small, old and young, abandoned themselves to fun and frolic.

Letter from Boston Bar.

To the Editor of the British Columbian.

MINING.

New Westminsterians, I have no doubt, will read with pleasure a few items from Boston Bar, especially when connected with the mining interests of the Colony. Mining in the vicinity of our beautiful village is worthy the attention of miners, especially those returning "dead broke" from Cariboo. The French company, opposite here, have, I should say, the best paying claim in British Columbia! They have been working in said claim for four years, and have still seven years' diggings, averaging from $10 to $20 per day to the hand! There are still a great many flats and benches that would pay from $4 to $6 per day. Chinamen along the whole benches of the Fraser are doing well, say from $2 to $6 per day with the rocker. Others are busy fluming and ditching on some flats which pay well. Discontented miners from Cariboo return and state thay can find no employment. Why not try the wide and extended flats of the majestic Fraser? $5 per day here is better than $20 in Cariboo. Their board will only cost about 75 cts., thereby saving $4.25 per day. From reliable information I learn that good prospects are found on Anderson River, some ten miles up stream. The energy and enterprise of the good folks of Boston Bar will soon reveal a second Cariboo to the miners of British Columbia in that section of country.

ARRIVAL OF THE GOVERNOR.

The arrival of His Excellency the Governor in our midst has been hailed with great joy. "The flag that's braved a thousand years the battle and the breeze" was hoisted about noon over the splendid new hotel built by Mr. Allard, late of Lytton city. As soon as His Excellency's four-horse carriage rounded the point, at railway speed, all the British and foreign residents turned out and thundered forth a salute of not les than 21 guns, and in the evening crackers were fired up to a late hour, to the great danger of all frame buildings. The Indians soon learned that the "great Tyhee" was in our village, when early in the morning not less than two hundred made their appearance opposite his quarters at the Boston Bar Hotel, waiting for an introduction. To their great delight about eight o'clock he made his appearance, and shook hands with the chiefs, afterwards directing his secretary to give them a plentiful supply of tobacco. While stretching out in single file all uncovered their heads until he passed. He has invited them to New Westminster on the 24th of May.

TRAVEL.—HOTELS.

The great traffic on this road during the last six months has called for more accommodation of the travelling public, to meet which Mr. Allard a few months ago sold out at Lytton, and, at an expense of nearly six thousand dollars, built one of the most commodious and best conducted hotels in the Colony. Families and miners can there find comfort and rest for their weary limbs in his clean and well aired bed-rooms. His table is at all times furnished with the best the market can afford. His superior accommodation I have no doubt will draw the most of the travelling public to the "*Boston Bar Hotel.*"

THE CROPS.

The farmers in the vicinity of Boston Bar can boast of the best oats and timothy hay in the Colony; especially Messrs. Coulter & Prevost, and Mr. Warner. I should say their yield is not less than three tons to the acre, and selling at six cents a pound. There is a field for farmers; plenty of good ground for cultivation. Vegetables are all looking well.

THE ROADS

are in splendid order, only the dust is disagreeable, and if travelling with blacks they will soon be white.

Boston Bar, 17th August, 1864.

NANAIMO LITERARY INSTITUTE.—We are informed that this creditable and highly useful institution is in a prosperous condition. It has a considerable number of books in its circulating as well as in its stationary library, while its tables are well lined with newspapers and other periodicals from Grent Britain and elsewhere. The managing committee are about to erect a splendid and commodious Hall on their elegable site donated for that purpose by the Vanconver Coal Company. Last Saturday night Messrs. Parker, Bate & Co. gave a concert under the management of the Institute Committee, and under the patronage of Commander Lascelles, of H. M. gunboat *Forward*, which was a great success The Hon. Patron gave $50 for himself and a like sum for his officers and men; and the crowded audience swelled the proceeds to considerably over $200, which, we are told, will form the neucleus of a building fund for the Hall alluded to. The people of Nanaimo, indeed, deserve great praise for thus sustaining so liberally an institution of this character.

THE GOVERNOR'S RECEPTION at Lytton, Boston Bar, Yale and Hope bespeaks the most enthusiastic loyalty on behalf of the people. Everywhere the most hearty demonstrations greeted him. At Boston Bar a very large number of Indians turned out to pay their respects, and His Excellency, shaking hands with the chiefs, invited them all to participate in the celebration here on the next 24th of May. He also directed his secretary to distribute tobacco amongst them.

ARRIVAL OF TREASURE.—No treasure express having arrived from Cariboo we cannot announce the receipt of a large amount of gold to-day. About $10,000 came down yesterday, one half of which was in Dietz & Nelson's Express.

FROM DOUGLAS.—The steamer *Lillooet*, Capt. Fleming, arrived from Douglas bringing a small express for Dietz & Nelson and about a dozen passengers.

FROM YALE.—the str. *Reliance*, Capt. Irving, arrived from Yale yesterday about half-past 4 o'clock, having on board His Excellency Governor Seymour and suite. She brought an express for Dietz & Nelson.

SALMON FISHING.—The run of salmon has now fairly set in, and that fish is being taken in abundance and of a superior quality, many of them weighing as heavy as 40 and some even 50 pounds apiece.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS during week ending Saturday, 13th August, 1864:—Duties, £869 12 5; harbor dues, £21 6 10; head money, £11 16; tonnage dues, £84 3. Total, £986 18s. 3d. Number of passengers entering during same period, 59.

A MISTAKE.—Persons from the country coming to deal at the London House, having been misled as to the proper address, Messrs. Turner and Co. request them particularly to notice that their place of business is at the "LONDON HOUSE," No. 6, Fort street, *next* door to Jay's nursery store, Victoria.

NOT FAR FROM THE TRUTH.—The reporter of the Detroit *Free Press*, who went to Drummondville to the review, says of Canada:—The most superficial observer cannot fail to observe that complete contentment and happiness, with the blessings of peace and quiet, reign throughout the provinces. There is evidently no desire to change their present form of government. They enjoy a larger measure of constitutional liberty, guarded by law, than any other people in the world. Canada has as good an educational system as can be found anywhere. All youths from five to twenty-one have the right to attend the public schools. There are about 5,000 teachers employed, of whom a little over 3,000 are males. Public libraries and literary associations abound, receiving material aid and encouragement from government. It cannot be denied that the events of the last few years in our unfortunate and distracted country have had a tendency to stimulate research on the part of the American statesman with the polity and workings of other governments, and particularly of the English government. In framing our own incomparable system, we borrowed largely and liberally from the mother government, and it is barely possible we might have borrowed some additional feature to advantage.

HOLDING THE STAKES.—An individual at the races was staggering about the track, with more liquor than he could carry. "Hallo, what's the matter now?" said a chap whom the inebriated man had run against. "Why—hic—why, the fact is—hic—a lot of my friends have been betting liquor on the race to-day, and they have got me to hold the stakes."—*Yankee paper.*

☞ We see it stated in American papers that Gen. McClellan has fallen heir to a large fortune. Sir Colin Campbell (Lord Clyde) left a great portion of his property to his sister, Miss Alicia Campbell, or McIver, who died intestate in the latter part of December last. General McClellan's father was the cousin of Lord Clyde, and it is said that through him the General takes the property left at the death of Miss McIver.

ASYLUM FOR DRUNKARDS.—Yes, the one at Binghampton, N. Y., will soon be opened. It will hold about 500, and already more than 8,000 have applied for its protection.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE!

The Sale of Mr. Webster's Stock of Dry Goods at Cost will positively close on SATURDAY NEXT, the 20th instant.

au13td CEO. HOOPER.

IMPORTANT!

THE SUBSCRIBER, being anxious to get back once more into civilization, offers for sale his Farm situate on the south side of the Fraser, opposite New Westminster. It contains ONE HUNDRED acres, has an Orchard of 300 choice Fruit Trees, five years old, which, if the world stand and the seasons continue, will bear a large crop of Fruit next year. To any one who has confidence in the future of New Westminster, it offers great inducements to purchase, as it will be sold at a low figure. For particulars apply to JAMES KENNEDY.

New Westminster, July 29, 1864. jy30 3m

Mrs. KIRKWOOD,

DRESS MAKER,

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,

Spalding Street, New Westminster, B. C.

☞ The latest **Ladies' Fashions** from **Paris** on hand, an inspection of which is respectfully invited

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NOTICE.

SUBSCRIBERS to the ROYAL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL are hereby informed that the Treasurer, MR. JOHN COOPER, will call upon them during the next few days, and as the Institution is greatly in need of funds, it is earnestly requested that the Subscribers will pay the amount of their subscriptions when called upon.

Subscription Lists are to be found with each member of the Finance Committee, Messrs. Armstrong, Cormack and Cooper.

jy13 JAMES COOPER, President.

TO LEASE—Lots suitable for business purposes.

J. A. R. HOMER

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Notice of Call.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of the above Company held this day, a further Assessment of Five Dollars ($5) per share was levied, to be paid at the Office of the Company on or before the 21st of August, 1864.

By Order,

J. J. COCHRANE, Secretary.

OFFICE—Government Street Victoria, V. I., August 11, 1864. au13 1m

NOTICE.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the Brick Building on Lytton Square, New Westminster, in the possession of Mr. THOMAS HARRIS, of Victoria, will, from and after this date, no longer be used as a Bonded Warehouse.

Custom House, July 29th, 1864.

THE ABOVE FIRE-PROOF WAREHOUSE WILL be open for General Storage after this date.

PIONEER WHARF, HARRIS & CO.

New Westminster, August 5, 1864. au6tc

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS are forbid purchasing, or negotiating for, two Notes of Hand, made by W. R. GIBSON, in favor of F. B. DECKER, for $350 each, the one payable on or about the 1st of September, 1864, the other payable on the 1st of December, 1864, as those Notes have been obtained under false pretenses, and I never received any value for them, and will not pay them.

W. R. GIBSON.

Port Douglas, B. C., August 4, 1864. au10 1m

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS heretofore carried on at Anderson Lake, B. C., under the company name of CHAPMAN & CO., will cease from this date, Mr. James Chapman withdrawing from the business in favor of Franklyn Roberts, and will be continued hereafter under the name of ROBERTS & CO.

JAMES CHAPMAN.
FRANKLYN ROBERTS.

Anderson Lake, August 1, 1864. au10 1m

Administrator's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed Administrators in the estate of WILLIAM WALLACE CUNNINGHAM, deceased, give notice that all claims against said estate must be presented at the store of G. B. WRIGHT & CO., Camerontown, Williams Creek, on or before the 1st day of September next. Any persons indebted to the estate will please make payments to either of the undersigned; and all parties holding in their possession any property belonging to the estate will please to notify us.

G. B. WRIGHT,
JOHN PERRIN.

Administrators of Estate of W. W. Cunningham,

Camerontown, July 24, 1864. jy30 2m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform the inhabitants of New Westminster, and the public, that he is always ready to attend any orders for MASONRY WORK, in Brick, Stone or Plastering. Furnaces, Ovens and Kilns particularly attended to. Any person requiring work in the above line will please leave their orders at the office of Geo. Hooper, Auctioneer.

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New Westminster, July 18, 1864. jy20tc

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The British Columbian.
NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, AUG. 20, 1864.

Poetry.

Farmers' Girls.

Up in the early morning,
Just at the peep of day,
Straining the milk in the dairy,
Turning the cows away,
Sweeping the floor in the kitchen,
Making the beds up stairs,
Washing the breakfast dishes,
Dusting the parlor chairs.

Brushing the crumbs from the pantry,
Hunting for eggs in the barn,
Cleaning the turnip for dinner,
Spinning the stocking yarn—
Spreading the whitening linen
Down on the bushes below,
Ransacking every meadow
Where the red strawberries grow.

Starching the "fixings" for Sunday,
Churning the snowy cream,
Rinsing the pails and the strainer
Down in the running stream—
Feeding the geese and turkeys,
Making the pumpkin pies,
Jogging the little one's cradle,
Driving away the flies.

Grace in every motion,
Music in every tone,
Beauty of form and feature
Thousands might covet to own—
Cheeks that rival spring roses,
Teeth the whitest of pearls;
One of those country maids is worth
A score of your city girls.

THE BRITISH MUSEUM.—The annual accounts of the British Museum were recently laid before Parliament. The entire expenditure last year (1863) was £95,000 ($477,500.) The total number of articles added to the library in the course of the year, including newspapers, broadsides, engravings, maps and miscellaneous pieces was 107,784. Of complete works, 45,020 were purchased, 10,072 acquired by copyright, and 1,129 presented. In the natural history departments, above 100,000 specimens have been added in the course of the year, and Professor Owen reports that the progress of the additions is such as fully to verify the outlook on which the requirements of space have been estimated. The additions include specimens from the African expeditions and the North American boundary expedition, and contributions of great scientific value from the Linnæan and Entomological Societies. The department of zoology has been enriched by a donation from J. Bowring of above 80,000 specimens of coleoptorous insects, the largest and most instructive accession to the entomological department ever presented by one individual. Very large additions have been made to the collection of fishes; among them may be mentioned a collection from the Lake of Galilee.

LORD BROUGHAM, the venerable ex-chancellor and law reformer, now in his eighty-sixth year, is reported to be engaged on an autobiography Such a work, considering the long period in which he has been in public life, the prominent positions he has occupied, the multitudinous matters, political, social, literary, and scientific, in which he has intermeddled, his versatility and mental peculiarities must abound in interest and excitement, and will be looked for with eager anticipation. A correspondent of the *Dublin Express* says that when in London the noble lord is a frequent attendant of the Temple Church. He almost invariably makes a special request of the gentleman who has the arranging of the musical portion of the service that the hymn to be sung by the choir and congregation shall be "Crown him Lord of all." "Do let us have that hymn again, 'Crown him Lord of all!' We shall here it better sung one day, but it does one's heart good now."

FATHER CHINIQUI IN WASHINGTON.—Father Chiniqui who left the Romish Church some five or six years ago, on Sunday gave an address in the hall of the House of Representatives, which was listened to with breathless attention. After the religious services a goodly number of ladies and gentlemen brought him their offerings. One of the ladies, not having her purse with her, approached him and said: "Chiniqui, I have no money here, but here is my gold bracelet. Please accept it, in aid of the great work God is making among your countrymen." She then disappeared in the crowd.—*Washington Chronicle.*

TO PROLONG FLOWERING.—In order to prolong the flowering season in perpetual and other roses, and in annual and perennial plants, clip off with a pair scissors the seed vessels as soon as the petals fall. This prevents the exhaustion of the plant in the forming of seed, continues its vigor, and preserves a neater appearance of the whole plant. At the same time, the use of the scissors will enable the gardener to impart a symmetrical form to the plants.

A dead mule, belonging to a Memphis citizen, was being hauled out of the Memphis lines the other day, when a bayonet thrust revealed the fact that the carcass contained 60,000 percussion caps, a quantity of ammunition and other contraband articles, which some rebel sympathizer had taken this means of smuggling.—*American Paper.*

"WE ARE COMING FATHER ABRAHAM," &c.—A Washington telegram to the New York *Times* says that there are upwards of 250 applicants for the Consul-Generalship to Canada, of whom forty-two are from Ohio.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

New Advertisements.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between GEO. LANDVOIGT, of Hope, and T. DeNOUVION, of Lytton, in the business carried on, at Hope, B. C., under the name of Geo. Landvoigt, and at Lytton, B.C., under the name of T. DeNouvion & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business at Lytton will be continued by T. DeNouvion, on his own account, and that at Hope by Geo. Landvoigt. Both parties are authorized to collect all debts due the two firms up to this date.

GEO. LANDVOIGT,
T. DeNOUVION.

Witness,
W. H. DILL.
Hope, B. C., July 20, 1864. au3 2w

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New Westminster, B. C., November 2d, 1863. } no4-tc

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20 Cases JEWELL & HARRISON'S LARD.
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WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER, BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT, TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

Opinions of the London Press upon Benson's Great Clock and Watches in the Exhibition, 1862.



"As a sample of English clock-work on a large scale, the works of this are probably the finest finished that have ever been seen in this country. No Chronometer could be fitted with more perfect or carefully adjusted mechanism."—*Times*, June 11, 1862.

"A triumph of ingenuity."—*Telegraph*, March 31, 1862.

"A more splendid and exquisitely-finished piece of mechanism we have never seen."—*Standard*, June 17, 1862.

"Some of them are of great beauty; and if the English watch-trade only follow up with the same spirit and success this first attempt to compete with foreigners in decorative watches, there seems to be no reason why we should not get the trade entirely into our own hands."—*Times*, June 23, 1862.

"Ranged around the base of the clock were the Watches which Mr. Benson exhibited, and which have been universally admired for the beauty and elegance of the designs engraved upon them. The movements are of the finest quality which the art of horology is at present capable of producing. The clock and watches were objects of great attraction, and well repaid the trouble of an inspection."—*Illustrated London News*, November 8, 1862.

Watches, adapted for every class, climate and country, wholesale and retail. Chronometer, Duplex, Lever, Horizontal, Vertical, Repeating, Centre Seconds, Keyless, Astronomical, Reversible and Chronograph, from 200 guineas to 3 guineas each.

Clocks.—Drawing Room, Dining Room Bed Room, Library, Hall, Staircase, Bracket, Carriage, Chime, Musical, Astronomical, Church, Turret, Stable, Railway, Post-office, Shop, Warehouse, Office or Counting-house, from 1,000 guineas to £1 1s. each.

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Do. do. 4 jewels	16 16	19 19	7 10	8 10
Do. do. finely finished 6 jewels	19 19	23 0	8 10	9 10
Do. do. extra, 8 jewels	24 0	27 0	9 10	10 10
¾ Plate Lever, jewelled	15 15	18 18	9 9	10 10
Do. do. 6 jewels	19 19	23 0	10 10	11 11
Do. do. 8 jewels	24 0	27 0	12 12	13 13
Do. do. extra, 10 jewels	28 0	32 0	17 17	18 18
Do. do. do.	32 0	36 0	23 0	23 0

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All Disorders affecting the Liver, Stomach and Bowels.

These Pills can be confidently recommended as the most simple and certain remedy for indigestion, flatulency, acidity, heartburn, colic, constipation, and all the many maladies resulting from disordered stomach or bowels. In all diseases it is of primary importance to set the stomach right. These Pills are purifiers, alternatives, and strengtheners of the stomach. They may be taken under any circumstances. Though powerfully tonic, and satisfactorily aperient, they are mild in their operation, and beneficial to the whole system.

Weakness and Debility, Nervous Irritability.

The wholesale effect exercised by these admirable Pills over the blood and fluids generally is like a charm in dispelling low spirits, and restoring cheerfulness. Their general aperient qualities well fit them for a domestic medicine, particularly for females of all ages and periods of life. They never betray any disagreeable irritating qualities; they quickly eject all impurities from the system, and regulate every function of the body, giving wonderful tone and energy to weak and debilitated persons, while they brace and strengthen the nervous system in a most extraordinary manner.

To Regain Health, Strength and Vigour.

Whenever persons find themselves in that state termed a "little out of health," and there are so many causes at work to shorten life, it is necessary that Holloway's Pills, the finest purifier of the blood ever known, should be at once taken, as they not only rid both solids and fluids of all morbid matters, but regulate all disordered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most extraordinary manner.

Old Coughs, Colds and Asthmetical Affections.

These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Holloway's Ointment very effectually twice a day upon the throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with the preparation, will be found the most effectual remedy for asthma, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and influenza. These remedies tranquilize the hurried breathing, soothe the irritated air-tubes, and assist in dislodging the phlegm which stops up the air-passages. This treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only curing old settled colds, but asthma of many years standing, and even when patients who were in so bad a state as not able to lie down on their beds lest they be choked with phlegm.

Derangement and Distention of the Bowels, Flatulency Diarrhœa and Dysentery.

Any symptoms of the above complaints should be immediately met by appropriate doses of these Pills, according to the printed directions: delay may be followed by disasterous consequences. These Pills are a certain remedy for all the ailments of the alimentary canal, they secure the thorough digestion of the food, and act most kindly on the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys. As a household medicine they are unrivalled, and should always be at hand.

Very Important, of Costiveness Beware.

Rarely but little notice is taken of costiveness, yet, at certain periods, it is a sure sign that danger is near. All who are seized with apoplexy and paralysis, have previously suffered from costiveness. In the former case the blood flies to the head a small vein is ruptured on the brain, and we know the rest. Let wives counsel their husbands, and husbands their wives, never to go to bed a second night, if the bowels have not been properly moved during the day, particularly if they feel heavy and drowsy. A few gentle doses of these the Pills will regulate the circulation of the blood, and all dangerous symptoms.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:—

Ague	Female Irregularities	Retention of Urine
Asthma	Fevers of all kinds	Scrofula, or King's Evil
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These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighbouring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage; and most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

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On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be well rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat: this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

Scrofula or King's Evil and Swelling of the Glands.

This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's purifying Pills and Ointment, as their double action of purifying the blood and strengthening the system renders them more suitable than any other remedy for all complaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure the liver, stomach and bowels, being much deranged, require purifying medicine to bring about a cure.

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Bad Legs.	Chapped Hands.	Scalds,
Bad Breasts.	Contracted and Stiff Joints.	Sore Nipples.
Burns.	Elephantiasis.	Sore-throats.
Bunions.	Fistulas.	Skin-diseases.
Bite of Mosquitoes and Sand-Flies.	Gout.	Scurvy.
Coco-bay.	Glandular Swellings.	Sore-heads.
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